The Bombay Gazette

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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND CONTINENTAL PORTS.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for H.M. PASSING the Company's steamers THROUGH THE SUEZ CANAL in QUARANTINE, thus avoiding any detention in Egypt.

The HOMEWARD MAILS are now being landed at VENICE, but the Quarantine, which is still imposed at this and all other Continental Ports, PREVENTS the landing of PASSENGERS, and the QUICKEST route by which they can reach England is to proceed to PLYMOUTH DIRECT.

The passages of the steamers will continue to be accelerated as much as possible. The last four steamers have made the voyage from Bombay to Plymouth in 23 days. Until the Continental route is again open, passengers taking three-monthly Return Tickets will be allowed an extension of a fortnight, if required.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent.

Bombay, 9th August, 1883.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above:—

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captains	1883.
— LOMBARDY ..	2726 500	W. H. Mudie	..19th Oct.
L. ROSETTA	3302 800	G. W. Brady	...26th ,,
— GWALIOR	2735 500	M. de Burne	...2nd Nov.
L. CLYDE.....	4174 750	R. M. Edmond	...9th ,,
— SURAT	3142 530	C. R. Edwards	...16th ,,
L. MIRZAPORE..	3857 800	C. G. Perrins	...23rd ,,
— VENETIA.....	2726 500	A. B. Daniell	...30th ,,

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 2 p.m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, and TRIESTE, by every Mail, and to MARSEILLES by every alternate Mail.

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others passengers change vessels at Suez.

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT COLOMBO.

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captains.	On 1883.
NEPAUL.....	3536 600	H. Wyatt	...19th Oct.
KAISAR-I-HIND.	4023 700	E. G. Stead	2nd Nov.
PEKIN	3900 600	A. Symons	...16th ,,
HYDASPES....	3934 600	G. Scrivener	...30th ,,

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, September 10, 1883.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA FLORIO & RUBATTINO'S UNITED COMPANIES (UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.)

THE Regular Mail-steamers leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th and on the 1st of each month, calling at

LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and vice versa.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

To all Ports of Italy.		To Marseilles.	
I Class ...£ 500	Including	I Class ...£ 520	Including
II do.... 340	wines. With	II do. 350	wines. With
III do.... 150	food.	III do. 155	food.

Children under 3 years, free; under 10 years, half fare. Passengers' heavy luggage will be delivered in LONDON, FREE OF CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Head-books.

A discount of 35, 20, and 10 per cent. is allowed to Passengers returning within three, six and twelve months respectively from the date of LANDING.

The following or other first-class Steamers will leave Bombay:—

MANILLA, on Thursday ..... 1st Nov., 1883.
CHINA, on Saturday ..... 1st Dec., 1883.

Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board, free of charge, by the Company's steam launch, leaving the Apollo-bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, available for 12 days.

From Genoa, I Class Calais Route, £ 95 Brighton Route £ 0
,, ,, II do. do. ,, 70 do. ,, 0
From Naples, I do. do. ,, 145 do. ,, 0
,, ,, II do. do. ,, 105 do. ,, 0

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent,
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

Bombay, September 7, 1883.

CIE NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION. REGULAR MONTHLY STEAMERS TO MARSEILLES.

THE new first-class steamer CHANDERNAGOR, 2,700 tons register, 450 horse-power, will LEAVE BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 20th Oct. She carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 500 including wines.
Children under 3 years, free. Under 10, half fare
The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows:—
Via Calais and Dover (Mail)..... 1st class £ 7 5 0
Via Dieppe ..... 1st class ,, 5 18 1

Passengers' heavy luggage will be delivered in London free of charge to the extent allowed by the passage ticket. For further particulars, apply to

RALLI BROTHERS,
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Bombay, 21st June, 1883.

ANCHOR LINE.

INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.

THE following sailings have been arranged:—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

Name.	Tons. H.P.	Comdr.	Sailing About 1883.
s.s. NUBIA.....	3,553 480	T. G. Knox	...22nd Oct.
s.s. PERSIA....	3,553 480	R. Hutchinson	2nd Nov.
s.s. ARMENIA....	3,395 480	G. H. Read..	13th ,,
s.s. VICTORIA ...	3,242 480	John Craig..	3rd Dec.

To be followed by other 1st class steamers at regular intervals.

For the convenience of *Indian* passengers an Agency has been opened at 8, Regent St., London, S.W.

For rates of passage and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 6th Sept., 1883.

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THOMSON AND TAYLOR,
CHEMISTS,
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No one need apply who has not a practical knowledge of printing and press-machinery, stereo-typing, lithographing, type-founding and book-binding.

A thoroughly practical business man is required.

Applications with copies of testimonials should be addressed to the Manager, Rajputana-Malwa Railway, Ajmere.

H. DANGERFIELD,
Officiating Manager.

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BEST CARDIFF COAL SUPPLIED, with despatch, on the shortest notice, and on the most favourable Aden terms and prices. Ships desiring to coal should fly a red flag at the foremast head by day, or burn two blue lights forward at night. Pilots, if wanted, will be supplied free of charge.

THE PERIM COAL CO., Ld.,
FINLAY, MUIR & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 2nd October, 1883.

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RAJPUTANA-MALWA RAILWAY.

SEALED TENDERS will be received, for the supply of 1 000 tons MOULMEIN TEAK SQUARES, not less than 15 inches square and 19 feet in length, to the Rajputana-Malwa Railway, by the Port Storekeeper, State Railway Department, Bombay, up to noon, on SATURDAY, the 20th October, 1883, when they will be OPENED in the presence of such Tenderers as may choose to attend at his office, 19, Apollo-street, Fort.

No Tender will be considered unless submitted in the prescribed form, and accompanied with the necessary earnest deposit in cash or Government Securities.

The Tenders will be submitted to the Manager of the Rajputana-Malwa Railway, and his decision will be communicated as soon as possible, probably on Wednesday, the 24th October, 1883.

The M... reserves the right of rejecting any or all the Ten...

For ... the office of the Port Storek... Apollo-street Fort.

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED)

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows:—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S.S. "MALDA," 1,945 tons, on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, 1883, at 4 p.m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingoria, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Madras, Cocconada, Visagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopaulpore and False Point. Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

The "MALDA" may proceed to Beypore first, returning to Calicut afterwards.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S.S. "PUNJAUB," 1,080 tons, on TUESDAY, 23rd October, 1883, at 4 p.m., calling at Karrachee, Gwadur, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bushire, Fao, and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S.S. "EUPHRATES," 807 tons, on SATURDAY, 20th October, 1883, at 10 a.m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR AND MOZAMBIQUE.

S.S. "ASSYRIA," 1,465 tons, on 7th November, 1883.

MACKINNON MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 16th October, 1883. Agents.

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Cash per doz.

FLANNEL COVERED, Silk Sewn, Regulation size.....Rs. 8 0
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Morphiæ Sulphas	1-6	Morphiæ Sulphas	1-13
Morphiæ Sulphas	1-8	Atropiæ Sulphas	1-250
Morphiæ Sulphas	1-12	Atropiæ Sulphas	1-60
Morphiæ Sulphas	1-3	Atropiæ Sulphas	1-100
Atropiæ Sulphas	1-120	Atropiæ Sulphas	1-150
Morphiæ Sulphas	1-4	Strychniæ Sulphas	1-60
Atropiæ Sulphas	1-150	Strychniæ Sulphas	1-1 0
Morphiæ Sulphas	1-6	Strychniæ Sulphas	1-150
Atropiæ Sulphas	1-180		

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Bombay, 16th Oct., 1883.

THE BROACH COTTON COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Broach Cotton Company, Limited, will be held in the registered Office of the Company, No. 17, Church Gate Street, Fort, on SATURDAY, the 20th day of October, 1883, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to confirm the Special Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on Monday, the 1st day of October, 1883.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
RUSTOMJEE HORMUSJEE,
Manager of the Company in Bombay.

Broach Cotton Company's Office, Bombay, Oct. 3, 1883.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.
TEAK LOG TIMBER.

THE AGENT is prepared to receive at his Office, Elphinstone Circle, up to 1 p. m. (gun-fire) on WEDNESDAY, the 24th instant, TENDERS for the SUPPLY of 400 tons of Moulmein or Rangoon TEAK LOG TIMBER for immediate delivery.

Tender to quote the price per ton of 50 cubic feet delivered at the Company's premises, Byculla, and state the maximum percentage of rejections allowed in the raft.

Tenders must be accompanied also by the specification of shipment.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

ALFRED KING,
Storekeeper.

Storekeeper's Office, Parel, 16th October, 1883.

NOTICE.

BOMBAY SEWERAGE WORKS.

THE Acting Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay hereby invites TENDERS for the ERECTION of CAST-IRON and ZINC VENTILATING SHAFTS and of CAST-IRON PIPES and sundry FITTINGS for HOUSE CONNECTIONS in the district of Kamatipura.

2. The Drawings can be seen at the Office of the Undersigned, where also can be obtained, on payment of Rs. 10 per copy, printed copies of the conditions of contract, comprising:

1 Articles of Agreement,
2 Specification,
3 Bill of Quantities,
4 Schedule of Rates,
5 Form of Tender.

3. No notice will be taken of any Tender unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 (one hundred) in cash.

4. Tenders must be duly signed and sealed, addressed to DR. T. S. WEIR, Acting Municipal Commissioner of Bombay, and delivered at the Office of the Commissioner not later than noon on THURSDAY, the 1st November, 1883.

5. The Acting Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order of the Acting Municipal Commissioner,
RENZI WALTON, M.I.C.E.,
Executive Engineer, Municipality.

Office of the Executive Engineer, Municipality, Sewerage Department, Bombay, October, 1883.

COOPER AND COMPANY.

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Dining Tent with 2 or 3 rooms.....	32 by 22
Do. do. do.	31 by 21
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Rowtee	24 by 14
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Subalterns	18 by 14
Do.	14 by 14
Hill Tent	12 by 12
Do.	10 by 10
Staff Officers	12 by 12
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Do.	10 by 10
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Necessary	5 by 5
Do.	4 by 4

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For General Officers, weighing.....	200 lbs.
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Capacity	½ gall.	1½ galls.	2½ gall.	3½ galls.	5 galls.

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Best *pebbles*, for Long or Short Sight.

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Skeleton Folders, Springs and Attachments riveted on lens.....	,, 3 0

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	Is always of uniform quality.	
23 ...	Thomson and Taylor's ... OLD SCOTCH ... ... Whisky ...	23

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LIST OF NEW ARRIVALS BY LAST MAIL.

Bridal Veils.
Boys' Pique Hats.
Girls' Washing Bonnets.
Ladies' and Gent.'s Straw Hats.
Cashmere, Satin and Plush Hoods.
White Straw Lawn-tennis Hats.
Ayer's best quality Felt Tennis Balls, at Rs. 7-12 per dozen.
Ladies' and Gent.'s Lawn-tennis Shoes in all sizes,
The only quality standing the heat of this climate.
Babies' and Children's Shoes and Boots in all sizes.
Black Taffeta Gloves.
Black, White and assorted Colored French Kid-Gloves, in all sizes.
Assorted Colored Spun Stockings.
Fast Black Lisle-thread Stockings.
New Gent.'s Linen Collars.
Balbriggan Shirts in all sizes and kinds.
India-gauze Shirts in all qualities and sizes.
Antimacassars of the newest patterns.
Ladies' French real silk Umbrellas, with fancy handles.
From Rs. 5-15 and upwards.
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Pears's world-reknown Soaps.
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ON WEDNESDAY, the 7th November, will be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, the Austrian ship ERMINIA J., as she now lies on the beach in the Akyab harbour, including her spars, sails, chains, anchors, boats, stores, provisions, &c. For further particulars apply to MOHR BROTHERS and Co., AKYAB, Agents for owners.

CALCUTTA INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

A MEETING of the GENERAL COMMITTEE of the CALCUTTA INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, on THURSDAY, the 18th instant, at half-past four o'clock, to consider what steps should be taken in connection with the resignations of the President and of the Honorary Secretary.

By order of the President,
J. GORDON,
Honorary Secretary.

Bombay, 16th October, 1883.

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A LARGE depôt of WATCHES, CLOCKS, and MUSICAL BOXES in all varieties, sold wholesale and retail. Prices moderate. P. RATANJI, 10, Forbes-street, Fort, Bombay.

JUST UNPACKED the famous Killer's Jams, Tasmania Jams, Barne's Jams, Moir's and Gillon's Jams; 1 lb. tins, 7 annas each.—BARTON & Co., Bombay.

WANTED BUTLER for the Officers' Mess, I. G. S. Patrick Stewart. Apply to the Commander on board.

FITTER WANTED to erect an engine, must be a sober man. Apply, with copies of testimonials, to Messrs. WARDEN & Co., Meadow-street, Fort.

WANTED, by a European woman experienced with children, a situation as nurse to a lady going to England early in February next. Can give reference. Apply Z., *Bombay Gazette*.

JUST UNPACKED a beautiful consignment of real Satsooma Vases, Finger Bowls, Card-trays, and other numerous articles suitable for presentation. GLENROY and Co., Hummum-street.

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TO LET, a very desirable and elegantly decorated SHOP. The Singer Manufacturing Company will remove to more spacious premises at No. 5, Church-gate-street, from the 1st November, and will let their present building at No. 2, Church-gate-street. Apply at the premises.

WANTED CERTIFIED ENGINEERS, having experience in Ginning / C Press Machinery. Written applications, mentioning terms and attaching copies of testimonials, to be addressed to Mr. RUSTOMJI HORMASJI, Manager, Broach C. Company, Limited, No. 17, Church-gate-street, Fort.

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TAILORING.—Just opened out a fine assortment of new Tweeds and Angolas, Waterproof Clothing, &c. Inspection solicited. John Mahomed & Co., 16, Meadow-str.

FERNANDES and Co., Send me 6 more bottles of your INVALID'S PORT. I have used in sickness of my wife, and find excellent.—W. W., Colaba Station Hospital.

MACLEAN'S GUIDE to BOMBAY and BOMBAY DIRECTORY for 1883. Price, Rs. 5; with postage, Rs. 5-4. To be had at the *Bombay Gazette* Office.

VEVEY CIGARS.—Just received, a small parcel of those celebrated Cigars, direct from ORMOND & Co., Switzerland.
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NOTICES.

BOMBAY COTTON TRADE ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE.—A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members

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...NG, OCT. 16.

...cial telegram of ...ent. sterling loan ...ve, but 4½ per cent. ...ever, the closing rate ...nd rupees. No change ...s unaltered. The Oriental ...d for the past half-year, but ...0,000 sterling. This corresponds ...e issued by the directors some ...The shares are quoted at £11 ; Char... 10 ; Mercantiles £17 ; Hongkongs £57.

...General Produce markets, Seeds and ...oat are unchanged.

The Manchester market is quiet but steady.

The Liverpool Cotton market yesterday closed quiet. Surats steady ; arrivals dull. Sales 12,000 bales, of which 1,300 bales were Surats. Middling Uplands have further given way 1-16d., the closing quotation being 6d. per lb. In New York Mid-Uplands on the spot have declined to 10⅜ cents, a fall of 1-16, and "futures," for the month of January to 10-78 cents., a drop of 5 points. The figures to date are given below :—

	1883.	1882.	1881
Total receipts up to Saturday.	744,000	711,000	8,3,000
Two days' receipts.....	59,00	56,000	43,000
Total since 1st Sept.	803,000	767,000	846,000

EXCHANGE.—Although there is no quot... alteration in rates, there is a feeling of fir... apparent. According to private advi... ness bar silver is firm at 50 15-16d. per oz. ... and some ...nsactions have taken place at this ... price :—

Bank Bills on Demand	1s. 7 21-32d.
Do. Telegraphic Transfer	1s. 7 19-32d.
Do. 3 months' sight.....	1s. 7 19-32d.
Credits, 3 months' sight	1s. 7 13-16d.
France, 3 months' sight	1s. 7 29-32d.
.....	Rs. 210½.

GOVERNMENT PAPER ... given way ... Rs. 98¼ ... cents. We quote :—4 per ... cents. Rs. 102¼.

SHARES ... Mofussil and Prince of Wales ... have improved to Rs. 592½, Rs. 407½, ...582½ respectively. Bombay Cottons were ...t Rs. 1,000. Mill shares are firmer, and a ... advance in rates has been established in many of the leading Companies. Sales are reported of Bombay United at Rs. 1,015 ; Central Indias at Rs. 700 ; Dhurumseys at Rs. 512½ ; Empress at Rs. 847½ ; Framjee Petits at Rs. 880 ; Gordons at Rs. 630 ; Hydrabads at Rs. 1,175 ; Jewraz Balloos at Rs. 1,135 ; Khataos at Rs. 1,030 ; Mahalukshmis at Rs. 990 ; Manockjee Petits at Rs. 1,320 ; Morarjee's at Rs. 1,540 ; Nationals at Rs. 995 ; New Great Easterns at Rs. 1,030 ; Orientals at Rs. 700 ; and Victorias at Rs. 775. A few Kemp and Company's shares were sold at Rs. 322 each.

COTTON.—There is very little inquiry for the New Crop, and prices in consequence are a shade easier. In spot parcels, however, dealers are loth to submit to a reduction on account of the limited stocks held. A sale of Akote Cotton is reported at Rs. 173 to Rs. 175 per candy. We quote :—

			Per candy.
Comrawuttee,	F. G.		.....Rs. 178
Do.	Good		..... „ 172
Do.	F. G. F.		..... „ 166
Dholleras,	F. G.		..... „ 178
Do.	Good		..... „ 171-172
Do.	F. G. F.		..... „ 165
Western	Good		..... „ 160
Do.	F. G. F.		..... „ 153
Dharwar Saw-ginned			..... „ 158
Compta			..... „ 150
New Machine-ginned	Broach, Good		.. 213 Mar.
„ Oomrawuttee	Good		....183-185Feb.-Mar.
„ Bengal	Good		..... „ 151 Dec.-Jan.
„ Do.	F.G.		..... „ 158 „

LINSEED is quiet but unchanged.

RAPESEED is steady at former quotations.

WHEAT is in limited demand, and prices show no change. White Pessie No. 1, Rs. 3 1½ per candy ; Yellow, Rs. 26 ; Luskari, Rs. 25 ; Catha, Rs. 22½.

FREIGHTS are stagnant. Liverpool *via* Canal 18s. 9d. for Wheat ; 21s. 3d. for Cotton. For London a steamer for loading about the middle of November has been fixed at 23s. 9d. Marseilles and Genoa, Rs. 12½ for Seeds and Wheat ; Rs. ... for Cotton.

PIECE-GOODS ... ORPS.

...	...	...	...	...	R.
...Bengal	42,000	500	all	5p. ct.	730
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	4 do	640
	£	£			
Agra Bank	10,000	100	all	6 do.	130
National Bank of India	37,320	— 250	12½	5 do.	93

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	50	1,000	500	90	1,425
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co., Ld. ...	1,000	500	500	—	557½
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	$3,000	100	10s	Rs. 7½	139
Alfred Mills' Co. ...	1,000	500	50	18½ p.c.	545
AllianceCotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	..	Rs. 55	875xd
Bhownuggur Mills ...	1,800	100	100	..	43
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	1,015
Budmira M'f'g Co., Ld.	1,000	—	500	..	410
Central India S. & W. Company	2,800	500	500	Rs. 30	700
Coorla Mills	800	50	1,00	Rs. 40	810
D. Spinning	3,000	2,000	all	nil	512½
Empress S. & W. Co.	1,136	500	all	Rs. 25	847½
Framji Petit M'fg. Co.	1,400	1,000	1,000	..	880
Golam Baba S. Co. ...	1,000	500	50	20	480
Gordon Mills	1,032	1,000	1,000	..	630
Hindustan	1,000	1,000	1,00	Rs. 4	1,080
HydrabadSpinning Co.	700	1,000	1,00	Rs. 75	1,175
Imperial Cotton Mills Company	900	500	500	..	540
Jaffer Ali Spin. Co. ...	600	500	50	Rs. 5	500
Jawraz Bhalloo	1,000	1,000	1,00	Rs. 55	1,135
Khandesh	750	1,000	1,00	Rs. 3	750
Khatao Manockjee ...	1,000	1,000	1,00	Rs. 55	1,030
Leopold S., Bleaching & Mfg. Co., Ld. ...	3,500	100	10	Rs. 4	132
Madras United	450	1,000	1,00	[illegible]	2,900
Mahalukshmi	650	1,000	1,00	Rs. 50	990
Manockjee Petit's ...	2,500	1,000	all	Rs. 60	1,320
Nazagon Spinning Co.	5,000	250	25	Rs. 12	23½
Morarjee Goculdas ...	1,050	1,000	1,00	Rs. 6	1,540
National Spinning ...	500	1,000	1,00	Rs. 35	995
New Great Eastern ...	1,400	1,000	1,00	Rs. 35	1,030
Oriental	4,000	625	625	Rs. 20	700
Carrell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	400	Rs. 14	330
People of India S. & W. Company	1,000	250	..	...	230
Prince of Wales Spinning Company..	1,500	50	500	30	305
Rajnagoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,00	1,000	Rs. 50	1,400
Solapore Mills	500	1,00	1,000	Rs. 75	1,300
Sonderdas	750	1,00	1,000	Rs. 50	92-xd
Southern India	500	50	Rs. 30	Rs. 20	5-5
Victoria Mills	550	1,00	1,000	Rs. 35	775
Western India S. & M. Company	1,30	1,00	1,000	Rs. 50	940xd

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	150	5,000	2,85	Rs. 125	1,100
Akola Press Co	85	500	all	Rs. 75	500
Albert Ginning Co....	100	500	all	Isp.ct.	425
Albert Press Co., Karrachee	200	2,000	1,10	Rs. 175	1,185
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	400	400	Rs. 37	375
Bellary	625	1,000	1,000	Rs. 20	54-xd
Berar Cotton Ginning and Press Co.....	600	500	all	Rs. 65	592½
Broach Cotton Ginning and Press Co ..	1,400	25	all	10	64
Bombay Cotton Press.	200	500	500	..	1,000
Coimba Press Co	500	1,880	1,880	50	1,210
Dholiera P. & G. Co..	500	200	all	30	195
East India Press Co ..	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 15	1,38-
Fort Press Co	150	32-	8,000	350	2,500xd
French Press Co	50	500	all	75 p.s.	64-
Ir. Manfg. Co	600	250	250	..	330
.....	3,12-	400	400	Rs. 45	407½
.....	2,50	12-	12-	Rs. 25	21-xd
.....	500	....	500	10	582½
.....	..	2,000	750	Rs. 5	530xd
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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE brig Fatte Issilam, 76 tons, Nacoda, arrived in harbour yesterday from Mozambique (11th Sept.), with a general cargo.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Bancoora, 2,170 tons, Captain J. Hart, arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta, &c., with a general cargo.

THE barque Racehorse, 387 tons, Captain J. Stehmeyer, arrived in harbour yesterday from Bangkok, (2nd Aug.), with a cargo of timber. The vessel is consigned to the Captain.

THE steamer Lady Dalhousie, 1,291 tons, Captain A. Murchie, arrived in harbour on the 15th instant from Perim (7th Oct.), in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. Volkart Brothers.

ARRIVALS.

Oct.	Vessels.	Commander.	From.
16	Bancoora (s)	Hart	Calcutta, Sept. 28.
	Racehorse	Stehmeyer..	Bangkok, Aug. 2.
	Fatte Issilam	Nacoda	Mozambique, Sept. 11
	Principia (s)	Kurnish ...	Karrachee, Oct. 13.

The steamer Lady Dalhousie, ... to Dunkirk, was entered for loading yesterday.

DAILY IMPORTS.—OCTOBER 16.

FROM GLASGOW.

Mount Tabor s—1 casks whisky, Thomson and Taylor.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Clan Murra ... khan s—5 cases aniline dye, Tyebally Moola Taz-Nubia ... 1,000 boxes bar soap, Essoofally Sumsoodin.

FROM LONDON.

Canara s—57 cases soap, provisions, &c., Essoofally Sumsoodin.

Harlleppol s—3 cases claret, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Chandernagor s—5 cases saffron, S. Narayen and Co.

Gwalior s—10 cases brandy, Volkart Brothers.

FROM VENICE.

Gwalior s—11 cases aniline dye, Geo. Lockhart and Co.

FROM TRIESTE.

Gwalior s—13 cases mock gold leaf and orsidew, S. Narayen and Co ; 11 cases gold embossed paper, Abdool Hoosein Esmailjee ; 25 cases beer, Bell, Brandenburg and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—OCTOBER 16.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Nubia s—211 bales cotton, Lyon and Co ; 52 bales wool, Govindram Dwarkadass ; 170 bales cotton, Damjee Heerjee and Co ; 100 bales cotton, Thos. H. Moore and Co ; 74 bales cotton, Shujum Purbhoo ; 350 bales cotton, Benn, Ashley and Co ; 830 cwts wheat, Lang Moir and Co ; 100 bales cotton, and 610 cwts wheat, Haili Brothers ; 2,500 cwts wheat, W. and A. Graham and Co ; 3,030 cwts wheat, Khimjee Luckmedass and Co ; 900 cwts rice Laljee Poonsee and Co ; 880 cwts bones, Hasimbhoy Fazul ; 1,000 cwts bones, Allarukhia Canjee ; 287½ cwts coir-yarn and 89 cwts coir rope, Roya Amerchund ; 100 bale rags, Pragjee Heerjee ; 151 cwts bones, Pestonjee Eduljee.

FOR LONDON.

Lombardy s—12 cases handkerchiefs, Tarachund Ghunsamdass ; 10 cases handkerchiefs, Jawarmull Dunsookrej ; 6 cases shawls, Purmashvardass Jugonath ; 4 cases shawls, Buhumull Hurryram.

Canara s—100 bales cotton, Harvey and Co ; 1,030 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co ; 133½ cwts cloves, Peerbhoy Hakeemjee.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Lady Dalhousie s—200 bales cotton, Geo. Lockhart and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Florida s—300 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co ; 500 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co ; 1,000 cwts poppyseed, 3,310 cwts groundnuts and 2,178 cwts rapeseed, Volkart Brothers ; 100 bales cotton, Geo. Lockhart and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Lombardy s—3,000 cwts castorseed, F. Masotti and Co ; 1,998½ cwts wheat, Volkart Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Lombardy s—200 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co., 120 bales cotton, Wallace and Co ; 200 bales cotton, J. C. Bushby and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Manilla s—250 bales cotton, Harvey and Co ; 417 cwts linseed, F. Masotti and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Manilla s—801 cwts mowra seed and 2,000 cwts mowra flowers, F. Masotti and Co ; 1,520 cwts mowra flowers, Cursetjee and Nathoobhoy and Co.

Chandernagor s—8,000 cwts wheat, Lang Moir and Co ; 2,000 cwts wheat, Vu sonjee Narranjee and Co ; 87½ cwts dry copra, Essa hawar ; 200 cwts coir yarn, Menahem Mes-a ; 1,250 cwts mowra-seed, 4,000 wheat 969 cwts poppyseed and 1,999 cwts gingelyseed, Rall Brothers ; 420 cwts g ngelyseed and 33½ cwts mowra flowers, Tyebjee and and Co ; 81 cwts ivory, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—OCTOBER 13.

Hadden, Captain, R. A., on duty, from Poona.

Penrose, Lieut., 23rd Bombay N.L.I., on leave, from Jinjeera.

OCTOBER 15.

Jones, Lieut., 2nd Bombay Lancers, on leaves, from Poona.

Caldecott, Surg. ... Poona.

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...SDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1883.

... 10 a. m. and 2 p.m. dail...

... wishing to compete in the W... Indian Rifle Association competition are request... to send in their names and the proposed date ... firing to the Adjutant without delay.

The Prospectus of the W. I. R. A. Meeting can be seen at Head-quarters.

The Range at Colaba will be available for practice for the Bombay Volunteers Rifle Corps on Friday next, the 19th inst. Members wishing to shoot must give notice of their intention not later than 2 p. m. on the day of firing, in order that markers, &c., may be provided.

There will be no drill at the Town Hall this Wednesday evening, nor until further orders.

Vol. W. R. Radenhurst is transferred from C. to F. Company from this date.

By order,

A. H. ATKINSON,
Capt. and Adjt., B.V.R.C.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES ORDERS.

(North-Western Provinces and Oudh Gazette.)

Surg W. A. D., Fasken, M. D. Civil Surg, 2nd Class, Fatehgarh, leave on medical certificate, for 2 months in India, from 18th Sept.

Mr. H. Blunt, Depy. Colr. of Bareilly, one month's privilege leave of absence, from 21st Sept.

Mr. R. Roberts to be Lieut in the Cawnpore Volunteer Rifle Corps.

The Rev. F. L. Neeld to be Lieut. in the Cadet Company of the Cawnpore Vol. R. C.

Surg.-Maj. G. Grant, M. B., Supdt., Central Prison, Bareilly, on return from furlough, to officiate as Depy Sanitary Commsr. 1st Circle, N.-W. P. and Oudh, vice Surg.-Maj R. Pringle, M. D.

Surg-Maj. G. Grant, M.B., Offg Depy Sanitary Comsr. 1st Circle, N.-W. P. and Oudh, to be in temporary charge of the 2nd Circle, pending the departure, on furlough of Surg. Maj R. Pringle M. D., from 1s. Oct.

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DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

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BOMBAY.

BIRTHS.

BREWIN—October 16, at Mazagon, the wife of Mr. Fred. C. Brewin, of a daughter.

PURVIS—October 15, at Bombay, the wife of Malcolm Purvis, of a daughter.

SIEVWRIGHT—October 6, at Hyderabad, Sind, the wife of Capt. C. F. Sievwright, 3rd Beloochis, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

BENABAI—October 14, at Bombay, Benabai, wife of Mr. Hurrichund Narayanjee, and mother of Mr. Vinayekrao Hurrichund, Attorney, High Court, Bombay, aged 68 years.

ALPAIVALA—October 16, at the residence of her uncle, Mr. Kaikhusro Eduljee Chenoy, Bai Ratanbai, sister of Mr. Kaikhusro Hormasjee Alpaivala, Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Surat, aged 18 years. Deeply regretted. Her remains will be carried to the Towers of Silence this (Wednesday) morning at 8 o'clock.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

COOK—October 9, at Kutnee, the wife of H. F. Cook, of a daughter.

WALTER—October 9, at Murree, the wife of Major C. J. Walter, 8th Regiment N. I., of a daughter.

WHITE—October 9, at Peshawar, the wife of Lieutenant-Colonel George A. White, 1st South Lancashire (late 40th) Regiment, of a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

SCOTT—KIDD—October 10, at Holy Trinity Church, Murree, Robert McDonald Scott, Quartermaster, 2nd Battalion, Prince of Wales's Own, to Adelaide Maude, daughter of Sub.-Inspector James Gordon Kidd, Educational Department.

All MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES, and other Remittances sent to this office should be made payable to the Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*.

THE INDIAN QUESTION.

We published recently a letter from a correspondent signing himself "Stop it," advocating the removal of the ammunition at present carried in their pouches by the sepoys of the Native Army, on the ground of frequent cases of murder and suicide which have occurred of late years by men in moments of excitement, whether produced by disappointed love, jealousy, or the use of intoxicating drugs, losing all control over their actions, and, as it is usually called, running "amok." Such an innovation is one which ought not to be introduced without carefully weighing the arguments for and against it. At a time when the tale of recent outrage is still ringing in the ears of the public, it is not to be wondered at that suggestions should be advanced to avoid the repetition of such tragedies as the recent one in Sind ; but we should be careful to avoid overlooking in the excitement of the moment the many cogent reasons which may be adduced on the other side. This is a case in which sympathy and sentimentality should not be allowed to over-ride the sterner principles of political necessity. Should, however, it be possible to show that such an innovation might be introduced without detriment to the public service, it would then be a matter which might be taken into serious consideration by the authorities with advantage. It may, and probably will, be urged, by those who advocate the retention of the present system of allowing each sepoy to have his pouch ammunition in his own keeping, that if we cannot trust the men of our Native Army to carry ammunition in time of peace, how can we rely on them to serve us in time of war, or even to execute faithfully the many and varied duties they are called upon to perform daily? To this the answer is not far to seek. The man who commits these atrocities is not for the time being responsible for his actions. He is under the influence of some strong excitement, which completely upsets the balance of his mind, the more easily as that mind is but partially educated, in some cases scarcely educated at all. To an Englishman, however uneducated, brought up as he is in the midst of advanced civilization, among traditions, which he cannot fail to have imbibed, of the value of human life, and the punishment attendant on its destruction wantonly, the idea of murder does not present itself till a long course of depravity has dulled all feeling, or some sudden shock has unhinged his reason. With less civilized and more primitive nations the case is different. Not setting the same value on life, regarding it in some cases even as meritorious to deprive another of it, it stands to reason then that in the latter case less provocation, less excitement, even in cases an imaginary cause of complaint, will be sufficient to make a man run amok with fatal results. The restraining power is less, and the crime does not present itself to his mind with the same enormity. To say that because we remove the power of doing harm to some twenty lives in less than as many minutes from the hands of those who in moments of intense excitement are liable to lose all control over their actions, we betray lack of confidence in the Army in general, is an argument which will not hold water at all ; we merely preserve them against themselves, and save them from committing deeds which in their saner moments they would be the first to regret, or rather would do so if it was not for the fact that their last victim is generally themselves.

But we must look further afield if we wish to find valid reasons for objecting to the proposed innovation. It may be said that troops in England do not carry ammunition, but have it daily served out to them when proceeding on guard, and again collected from them when the guard dismounts ; and that such is not the case out here because the country is a foreign one, obtained by conquest, and held by force of arms, and that the troops by which it is held should be ready to turn out at a moment's notice. This raises, again, several questions, all turning on the development and improvement which has taken place since we first began to obtain a footing in India, holding each point gained tenaciously, and gradually struggling forward and onward. In the first place, as to readiness to turn out at a moment's notice. The ammunition of the present day, packed as it is in packets of convenient sizes, would render it a work of but a few moments to supply a company with its complement of rounds in a case of sudden emergency, so that the excuse of delay in turning out may be rejected entirely ; while at the same time we may congratulate ourselves that, the views of pessimists and alarmists notwithstanding, the chances of any serious rising are yearly becoming less and less. Further, the idea that we hold India by force of arms is becoming yearly a less accepted fact. It is not so long ago that no one, even of the most advanced school in Indian politics, would have thought of attributing our hold in this country to any other cause. Now it is different. The spread of education among the native population has brought them to regard our rule in a light far removed from that of conqueror and conquered, and this feeling is spreading more and more throughout the country. An enlightened policy begets confidence, and with the growth of confidence the liability to sudden alarms decreases. Why, then, when the government is being assimilared as far as practicable to that at home, should not the Army be treated in the same way ? Why go through the parade of being in an enemy's country, while talking all the time of race equality and mutual reciprocity ? Why vaunt that we hold the country by virtue of the acknowledged excellence of our administration, and all the time go through the most formal details of an army of occupation ? It may be said, *si vis pacem para bellum*, and we fully recognise the truth of the quotation, but we do not see how it applies. The mere fact of having the ammunition placed in a place of safety, instead of being in the men's pouches, cannot affect their readiness for action when required in any appreciable degree, and none but the most ignorant would for a moment draw any such wild conclusion from the action. But should it be considered desirable to withdraw the pouch ammunition from the soldier's care, and place it under responsible company supervision, the measure should not be confined to the native troops only. Though instances of crimes among British troops committed with Government ammunition are rare, still they exist. Yet on this ground alone we would not advocate the measure ; but if carried out, it should be done in both Armies. It is no more necessary for Tommy Atkins always to have his rounds of ammunition within his reach than it is for Jack Sepoy ; and any distinction drawn between the two services might create a feeling of dissatisfaction among the native troops, as much to be regretted as it would be needless.

It may be argued on other grounds that any action in the matter is unnecessary. It may be said that the instances are so very few and far between in which these occurences have happened that it is not worth while, for the sake of the possible saving of some half-dozen lives in as many years, that such a change should be introduced. This it is hardly necessary to comment on, as it is a line of argument which will not readily commend itself to any one who gives the matter a thought, and it is not adapted to these days of enlightenment, when we spend large sums of money yearly in sanitary improvement to endeavour to reduce the death and sick rates by a comparatively small decimal per thousand. Regarding the question in all its bearings, we cannot help thinking that it briefly comes to this—by carrying out the system as pursued in England no harm can arise, whereas a more than possible good will ensue. Of course it may still be argued that bereft of his ammunition, the temporarily mad sepoy, or Tommy Atkins bordering on D. T., may have recourse to his bayonet or the butt of his rifle ; but it must be remembered that these are harmless weapons as compared with the death-dealing bullet. We believe that the experiment has already been tried by one regiment in the Presidency in which an officer was the victim not many years ago, and no evil seems to result from its introduction. It seems to us, then, that it is a matter which might well engage the serious attention of the authorities.

THE Annual Report of the Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, Gunesh Khind, for 1882-83, shows that very satisfactory progress has been made in grafting mangoes of the best varieties. Fair progress was also made in the planting of oranges, but we should like to know whether the Malta species, which thrives so luxuriously at Lahore, has been tried at Gunesh Khind. The Nagpur orange has long had a great reputation, but it does not come near the Malta by a great way. *Taraxicum* yielded a profit of Rs. 50 per acre. *Rhea* has grown very well, but is still waiting for the machine which is to render it of real importance. Tapioca was a failure financially. Of the potatoes, Sutton's *Magnum Bonum* and *Red Emperor* grew well. We do not, however, find that any trials have been made towards the all-important question of experimenting with grains which are of rapid growth. Had the ordinary crops been largely destroyed by locusts, it would have proved of the first importance to point to other food-grains which could have been planted and brought to maturity before the extreme effect of the destruction of the ordinary crops could have been felt. Such grains exist and are known to the Punjab Botanical Society, and we would commend the matter to the attention of Government, as relief works are not the only resource that may be resorted to, and more strings than one to one's bow is a distinct advantage.

IT has been ruled from home that H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught is to be received as a member of the Royal family until he takes over command, and afterwards as a general officer, unless when invited to take part in any State ceremony, when honours as one of the Royal family are to be paid.

COLONEL BRINE ON HIS TRAVELS.

MADRAS AND PONDICHERRY.

(Concluded from Monday's *Bombay Gazette.*)

ON Tuesday, the 4th September, I visited the Madras shops, banks, and printers, and the whole of the sea front, returning in the evening to hear the Governor's band play on the South Beach. It played in tune, but is too weak in numbers for playing near the surf ; and the little bandmaster sprawls too much. He should at once be given thirty-two musicians instead of twenty-four, if the band is to continue to play out of the house. Round about were some eighty carriages, a few Europeans and children walking and playing, and fewer natives occupying the seats. Why don't they in India have plenty of chairs for hire, as in France, at bandstands, and now in England in the parks ? I believe money is to be made here by a "poor white ;" also cheap bookstalls might be established at the railway termini and junctions. All the way from Wadi to Madras, over 400 miles, I was unable to buy or see a newspaper of any sort, and yet three daily, one tri-weekly, and one weekly newspapers are published in Madras alone. At Deschamps', amidst the pianos and furniture, I was shown the "Buckingham" carved case that had been at the 1878 Paris Exhibition ; at Higginbotham's I got a Bombay Traveller's Guide for Sept. (12 as.) and a very nice Madras and Guide and map (Rs. 5). At D'Angelis' I could get no gin-and-water. At P. Orr and Sons' (good stock with nice silver snuff-boxes) there were some ugly reading notices about smoking. The Madras Stable Company's premises were very clean. At Lewis Milner & Co.'s I learnt that gentleman's black-silk socks were Rs. 10-8 a pair, while spun silk were only half the money. Franck and Co. (no sign-board) and Spencer and Co. were evidently doing a large business ; while the obliging Oakes and Co.'s was the largest establishment in Madras, and had, I am glad to say, two hall door porters drawing Rs. 60 a month, besides their pensions. Finally, owing to fresh rules, I had great difficulty at the Oriental Bank in cashing a cheque on the Allahabad Bank for Rs. 500 ; but the agent was very polite.

The sea front, with taste and care, should lick anything of the sort in India, and although in the absence of private houses it will never be a second Brighton or like any other fashionable watering place in Europe, still the public buildings on it, although inferior to Bombay, are far superior to Calcutta. I can't say I like Mr. Chisholm's style of architecture for the sea-side. Still his Senate House, Government offices, and Madras Railway Station with clock tower are a very great improvement on Government House, the Banquetting Hall, and the Memorial and Patcheappah Halls. During the next three days I visited the first and last four. Outside the first the 44th band was playing to about one hundred and twenty carriages while I was inside, and a native B. A. showed me round, pointing out the moveable ceiling and Lord Hobart's bust in a corner. On my asking him how many small tables and chairs he thought there were in the great hall, he said 5,000. There were 200 !

How the Calcutta Exhibition is going to fare without pictures and sculpture puzzles me. Of course, there will be Indian jewellery and carpets, with Australian wool, emu eggs, and wines. Still there will be a difficulty to make it very attractive in the ugly building, but I believe it will repay Mr. Joubert's enterprise. Throughout India there are no oil paintings except cheap portraits—not even in the ten Government houses that I have been in. At Madras there were seventeen in the Banquetting Hall with its twenty-two chandeliers and ten standards, and in the Patcheappah Hall, built in 1850, there are seven. The Memorial Hall, erected in thankfulness for being spared the Mutiny of 1857, could accommodate five hundred. Except in the Deer Park, I was very much disappointed with Government House. A native D. P. W. Superintending Engineer was very much pleased with his new designs on the floor, of the Royal Arms and motto "Heaven's light our guide," which a gunner persisted in saying applied more to a ship.

Madras, founded in 1639, is 9 miles long by 3 broad, and contains a population of over 400,000, but very few indeed are real Europeans. The first Governor was in 1672. The seasons or climate may be classed, like Secunderabad, as nine months hot and three very hot. Still there is the sea-breeze ; and the River Cooum, with its ten bridges, winding through the southern part of the city, adds very much to its appearance. Oddly enough, I never saw a boat on it, and only two on the canal, and with the exception of the P. and O., B. L., Messageries, and Ducal steamers there was not 4,000 tons of shipping in the roadstead ; but then I was told it was "not the season." At Calcutta, Bombay, and Secunderabad when I asked why it was that the men dressed so badly, that the clergymen were so young, and the ladies looked so worn, I got the reply, "It is not the season." In India generally the ladies, doctors, and engineers do well, but I am satisfied that the reason why the matrimonial market is dull is because of the new leave rules and the exchange being low.

On visiting the Gun Carriage Factory on Colonel McLeod's, R. A., invitation, I learnt that it had in 1808 been a Naval Hospital, that it employed 408 hands, and contained a school for thirty Eurasian lads. There was some nice machinery, a fair stock of wood seasoning, and the school-room was tolerable ; otherwise all was old, the quarters were bad, and all required to be rebuilt. On my last evening I drove over the bridge (1829) to the College Hall (poor). It was all ready for a "Grand Assault of Arms" by some pupils in aid of the R. C. Orphanage. I also visited the Central Museum, established in 1851. Among other valuable contents it had portraits of Lord Balfour and a native woman. I dined at the Madras Club with the officers, R. E., having during the week dined with Colonel Rennie and the officers of the 44th in the Fort. This Club, the best in India, is closed very early, viz. at 1 a.m., the Poona Club not being closed till 2-30. If an outsider is allowed to make any suggestions, I would recommend that D'Angelis on week days should supply more ices (I never could get one), that the bar should be better ventil

TELEGRAMS.

LORD RIPON'S DEPARTURE FROM SIMLA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, OCT. 16.

The Viceroy and party left under the usual salute at half-past ten this morning. The departure was private. Amongst those present at Peterhoff were Sir Steuart Bayley, General Wilson, Lady Clough Taylor, Sir Auckland Colvin, and a few others. The Viceroy's band was in attendance. The Goorkhas formed a guard of honour.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE FRENCH AMENDE TO MR. SHAW.

PARIS, OCT. 15.

It is understood that the French Government have agreed to pay an indemnity of sixty thousand francs to Mr. Shaw, the missionary, and also to express regret to the British Government at his imprisonment.

Negotiations are now proceeding to determine the wording of the apology.

THE GERMAN CHOLERA COMMISSION.

CAIRO, OCT. 15.

The German Commission to inquire into the cause of the late cholera epidemic in Egypt trace the origin to living organisms, and will now proceed to India to make further investigation.

TONGKING.

LONDON, OCT. 16.

It is reported from Tongking that the Chinese troops are quitting the frontier.

THE FOOCHOW RIOT.

Further details received in connection with the Foochow disturbance show that it was of an unimportant character.

NEW GOVERNOR OF JAMAICA.

General Norman has been appointed Governor of Jamaica.

THE AMERICAN CROPS.

NEW YORK, OCT. 13.

The Washington Agricultural Bureau's monthly report estimates the cotton crop at 6,000,000 bales.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

MALTA, OCT. 15.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Dacca, outward bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here on the afternoon of the 14th inst.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Eldorado, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras and Colombo, left here on the evening of the 13th inst.

PORT SAID, OCT. 15.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Goa, outward bound for Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast, left here on the afternoon of the 14th inst.

LONDON, OCT. 15.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed quiet. Surats steady.

The London Cotton market has been quiet.

Fair Dholleras	4 1-16d.
The Manchester market has been quiet, but steady.	
Exchange on India, 30 days' sight	1s. 9 7-16d.
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	80½
4½ per cent. ,,	84½
3 per cent. Consols for account	101½
2½ per cent. Sterling Loan	102½
5 per cent. French Loan	107½
Bar Silver	5⅛d.

The Oriental Banking Corporation pays no dividend for the past half-year, but carries forward £30,000.

Oriental Bank Shares	£11
Chartered ,,	£23-10
Do. Mercantile ,,	£17
Hongkong and Shanghai	£37

Arrivals—Brookfield, Cairo, and County of Pembroke.

TELEGRAPH LINE REPORT.

(OCTOBER 16.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

MONDAY, NIGHT, October 15.

10 p.m.	79·0

TUESDAY, October 16.

6 a.m.	78·6
10 a.m.	83·6
2 p.m.	87·4
4 p.m.	87·0

H. E. THE GOVERNOR left Poona for Mahableshwar on Monday morning.

AN adjourned meeting of the Bombay Committee in connection with the Calcutta Exhibition was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms last evening. Mr. Thorburn presided; but the attendance of members was not so large as on Monday. Mr. Thorburn replied at great length to the strictures passed upon the Sub-Committee by Mr. Arthur Crawford, quoting largely from official documents and letters to show that the Committee had neither been apathetic nor negligent. He justified the remarks made by him at a previous meeting that large subscriptions were not necessary. Mr. Crawford, Mr. Macfarlane, Mr. Geary, and Mr. Kabrajee having spoken, the Chairman announced his intention of resigning, and said it might be easy to forgive, but that it was difficult to forget the unfounded accusations which had been made against him personally in his capacity as chairman. Mr. Gordon, the honorary secretary, also tendered his resignation. Mr. Geary, remarked that the resignations were quite unnecessary. Pointing to the sparseness of the attendance, he suggested that the matter should stand over until a full meeting of the Committee had been constituted, when the chairman and the secretary might reconsider their determination. Eventually it was decided to call a meeting of the Committee for Thursday to see what steps should be taken in the matter.

THE inquiry before the Chief Presidency Magistrate and two nautical assessors into the loss of the s.s. Airey has resulted in charges of negligence and incompetency being framed by the court against the captain and chief officer of the vessel. Captain Magnus Flett has been charged with incompetency in having failed to take the ordinary precaution of finding the error in, and the rate of, the only chronometer he had on board; with acting carelessly, knowing as he did that when the vessel was off a coast, at a dangerous season and in very hazy weather, he did not ease his engines and wait until the weather had cleared or until daylight set in, and did not make use of his lead; and further, with incompetency on the ground that he was negligent in his duties in not seeing that the chief officer was from day to day kept acquainted with the position of the ship on the chart, and not acquainting him on the night of the accident that the vessel was approaching the coast. Mr. Morgan, the chief officer, has been charged with incompetency in not making himself acquainted with the position of the ship on the chart. Both the accused denied the charges; and the court has adjourned until to-morrow afternoon, to give them an opportunity of calling evidence on their behalf.

THE Victoria and Albert Museum of this city is to be enriched by the skeleton of a fish 81 feet long, 12 feet broad, and 5 feet high which was recently stranded on the beach at Umbargaon, in the Thanna District. This very remarkable specimen has been buried in the sand, and every possible care is being taken to secure all the bones and also to number the vertebræ before they are disconnected.

IT is stated that the Duke of Connaught and Sir James Fergusson, the Governor of Bombay, will both be present with the Viceroy when presiding at the ceremonial opening of the Calcutta Exhibition. As already announced, the Duke will join his command at Meerut on arrival, and take ten days' leave for his trip to Calcutta.

THE Government of Bombay agree with the Commissioner in Sind, the Kurrachee paper says, that the proposed Port Trust for Kurrachee should consist of not less than seven, or more than nine, members. The whole of the papers on the subject are to be forwarded to the Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, in order that a draft Bill may be prepared laying down the constitution of the Board.

THE last meeting of the Educational Commission, now reduced to the President and one member, Mr. Deighton, took place at Simla on Saturday. The *Pioneer* says that they disposed of the last of the typographical errors, and that then the Commission was formally dissolved. It will probably be another month before the complete result of its labours is published to the world.

ACCORDING to a special telegram to the *Englishman*, the London Committee of the Anglo-Indian Association has determined to present a second memorial to the Secretary of State, praying him to postpone the decision on the Ilbert Bill until both Houses of Parliament have considered the local reports.

THE Allahabad paper says that news has been received in Simla of the arrival of the Persian

THE result of the past year's excise administration in Assam is reported to be satisfactory, without increasing the number of excise shops. The revenue has increased, and bids fair to continue to do so. The *Mahal* system has been abolished throughout the province.

THE excise revenue of the Punjab for the year 1882-83 amounted to Rs. 13,75,703, which is the highest amount that has ever yet been reached. The incidence of the excise income per head of the population has risen from 1 anna 1·32 pie in 1881-82 to 1 anna 1·39 pie.

COMMENTING on the attack made by Mr. Beveridge, Sessions Judge of Patna, on the system of trial by jury in the interior, the *Statesman* says:—

"On the whole, we think that though Mr. Beveridge's authority, as a judge of experience and free from prejudice against a popular institution, must weigh against the system of trial by jury, his reasons are altogether worthless. It may be that the juries at Patna do not work well; but the judge seems unable to show that they do wrong. We expect the reply of Government to Mr. Beveridge as to the Patna juryman, will be like that of Escalus in *Measure for Measure*, when Elbow asks, "What is your worship's pleasure I shall do with this wicked caitiff?" "Truly, officer, since he has some offences in him that thou wouldst discover if thou couldst, let him continue in his course, till thou knowest what they are." The Patna juries are not to be abolished because they convict about as often as do judges sitting alone, or because one man lays down the law on a difficult point inaccurately, being at once overruled by his comrades, or that another accepts the law laid down by the judge, or because they are mostly either landowners or tradesmen. These are not offences specified in the Penal Code. We own that trial by jury is not so deeply rooted in Bengal as to be safe against the effects of any very serious scandals, such as the acquittal of the guilty in a series of important cases, but it has nothing to dread from this attack of Mr. Beveridge."

THE report that three Irish informers whom the Australians objected to receive were to be taken to Calcutta in the steamer Pathan turns out to be incorrect. According to a Calcutta telegram, Smith, one of them, with his wife proceeded from Sydney to Cairo *vid* Mauritius. Kavanagh and Hanlon were smuggled from the Pathan into Melbourne, and there let go.

SAYS the Allahabad paper:—A matter of considerable personal interest to the Central Provinces Commission centres in the competing claims of Mr. John Neill, now on his way out to India, and Mr. Robert Crosthwaite, officiating as Judicial Commissioner, to the permanent hold of that appointment. The Viceroy himself will decide the knotty point after due consideration of the merits of both officers. The theory held in influential quarters is that the Judicial Commissionership should not be regarded as altogether a line appointment, that it must be given above all things to a strong judicial man, even if the result of the award should disappoint the expectations of those awaiting their weary turn for promotion in the ranks of the Commission. Mr. John Neill's reversion to a Commissionership would deprive Colonel Ward of an officiating appointment in that grade, but Colonel Ward and his military colleagues in civil employ should know by this time that the fates are against them, even if the Government may make a show of sometimes being in their favour."

ON the subject of the mill mania, to which attention has been directed in our columns, the *Civil and Military Gazette* remarks:—

Bombay has now upwards of forty mills, which are working *greatly* in excess of the demand; the result being that piece-goods are rapidly accumulating on the hands of the producers. And yet, at the present moment, it is proposed to start about half-a-dozen more mills. The cause of this seeming folly is not far to seek. The agents, who are more or less the promoters of most of these mill companies, are paid a commission of a quarter per cent on the output of the mills, and not on the net profits; so that the state of the market does not concern them any more than it does whether or not the shareholders receive a dividend. Moreover, the agents are, in many instances, in league with the directors. The latter are amply compensated for the few shares they hold in a concern by the fees they receive in their official capacity. Thus, the merry game goes on: the agents securing the nomination of the directors, and the directors winking at the excessive and ruinous out-put which is filling the pockets of the agents. It is startling to find that the prospectuses of many of these companies are altogether silent as to the fact that the agents' commissions are secured for a long period of years. This is none the less true. In the case of two companies recently started, the agents have their commissions secured to them for a period of 25 years; and in the event of the companies being wound up within that period, they are to receive five years' commissions, calculated on the average commission of the preceding years. In the case of one of these companies, it is stipulated that the agent is to receive Rs. 10,000 as compensation if the mill is not eventually started. It is difficult to escape from the conclusion that where such glaring abuses exist, they are only saved from immediate exposure by the circumstance that the illicit profits of the system are being widely shared in by the local community. The system, which places a premium on fraud, accounts for many of the present anomalies connected with the leading Bombay industry.

A NEW sword of State, meant to replace the old weapon handed down from remote ages as the symbol of authority in Siam, has been completed for the King by Mr. J. W. Benson, London. The blade is double-edged, spear-shaped, and fifteen inches long. Towards the hilt it is inlaid with gold of varying tints, wrought in different devices, the figure of Buddha being prominent on each side. The handle, which has no cross-guard, is seven inches in length, and consists of enamelled work studded with diamonds, while the sheath is one entire piece of wrought gold, set with precious stones.

PLACARDS headed "Invasion of Tyrone by the members of the Fenian and Murder League Conspiracy," printed on orange-coloured paper, addressed to the Protestants of Tyrone, and signed "A. J. Matthews, Hon. Secretary," were posted throughout Dungannon on Sept. 13, calling upon the Protestants of Tyrone to meet on the Windmill-hill, Dungannon, on the 27th Sept., the day of the Parnellites' meeting, and to pass a resolution against Home Rule. Orangemen were called upon to attend with their drums playing to the number of their Protestant strength, and with flags flying. They were also told that their motto was to be "No surrender;" and also that it was a grand opportunity for a display of their strength.

AT an early hour on Sunday morning (Sept. 16) a burglar entered the house of a gardener named Grimwood, in Hopper-lane, a lonely spot near the village of Park-street, St. Albans. In his attempt at robbery he disturbed the inmates of the cottage. Grimwood went downstairs and was at once attacked by the burglar, who aimed a blow at his head with an open knife. It fortunately missed. The gardener and the burglar closed, and a desperate struggle ensued for the possession of the knife. In the affray the gardener received a severe wound between the thumb and forefinger. In the meantime Mrs. Grimwood attacked the burglar with the kitchen poker and stunned him. Grimwood then bound the man with a clothes-line and sent for the police. The burglar was charged before the St. Albans magistrates on September 20, and remanded.

WINE-HARVESTING has already begun in the south of France, the *Journal des Débats* says, though in the west centre and east it will not commence until towards the end of this month. Everywhere the recent rains are said to have decidedly improved the prospects of the harvest. In Lower Burgundy there has been quite enough of rain, and the wine-growers earnestly hope that no more will fall. In the Bordelais, however, the rain has been hardly sufficient; but in Languedoc it is said that the weather has been all that could be desired—first heat, then rain, and now brilliant sunshine again. On account of the ravages of the phylloxera and of mildew it is difficult to estimate what the production of France will be for the year; but the *Débats* estimates it at from 40 to 45 millions of hectolitres.

A SINGULAR incident occurred on Sept. 17, on the Great Eastern Railway, England. As the Continental express train from Liverpool-street to Harwich was approaching the Brentwood Station, the guard saw a man fall on the line close to the train. The train was stopped, and the man was found lying insensible on the line, bleeding from a wound on the forehead, and with his left arm broken. He gave his name as William Zryser, and said he was a German baker. He stated that he walked from London on purpose to intercept and overturn the Continental express, and said he attempted to upset it with a large pole. There appears to be no doubt that this story is true, and that Zryser met with his injuries through the recoil of the pole, which was found near the spot. He is believed to be of unsound mind. He was removed to the workhouse.

MR. BENJAMIN, the American Minister at the Court of Persia, complains in a letter to a friend in the United States that his salary is quite insufficient to meet his expenses. He is expected to make presents to nearly every one with whom he comes in contact; and even when he receives presents he has to pay for them. Not long ago, for instance, the Shah gave him a magnificent Arab horse. A few hours afterwards an officer of State introduced himself, and after in due form claiming Mr. Benjamin as his father, his mother, all his relations, and his sun, moon, and stars, hinted in polite terms that he wanted a present in return for the Shah's gift. The astonished Minister offered the man 10,000 dinars, but his dragoman explained that it was customary in such cases to bestow a sum about equal to the value of the present; and Mr. Benjamin finally complied—"for the honour," as he says, "of the American Republic" Upon another occasion he had to pay all the expenses of an entertainment at which he had fondly supposed himself to be the honoured guest. This sort of thing, he sadly remarks, will soon ruin him; for almost every day he finds himself hailed as the father, mother, and all the relations of a small regiment of people, and every salaaming Persian who whispers this nonsense into his ears expects to be paid very handsomely for his politeness.

A CURIOUS "find" has been made recently in the neighbourhood of Sandwich, in Kent, close to the place where the river Stour makes its exit into the sea. This is nothing less than the buried hull of an old smuggling vessel, lying half-covered in mud at the bottom of the stream. It must have lain embedded in its resting-place for several centuries, inasmuch as some of the wood of which it was composed had undergone petrifaction. The size of the lugger is about forty tons, and it is supposed that she was engaged in carrying on a contraband trade when she was sunk right in mid-stream by a well-aimed shot from some Government ship. This supposition is rendered almost certain by the fact that in the disentombed vessel were found several stone jars of antique shape, and packages of decayed and mouldy tobacco, while a fourteen-pound ball was embedded in the timbers of the hull. One of the jars had been so securely sealed up as to have escaped the effects of time and water, and in it remained some "strong-smelling liquor," which ought to be handed over to a competent analyst without delay. This treasure trove was come across in a perfectly accidental way. It was found lately that an obstruction existed in the bed of the river, and the authorities at Sandwich haven gave orders for its removal, when the obstacle to navigation was found to be the contraband lugger in question, which will probably now be raised and carefully investigated by archæologists. The smugglers who loaded that vessel with their surreptitious goods some couple of hundred years ago little thought that they were providing materals for a museum of curiosities in the Victorian era.

A PAINFUL case has occurred in America, the *St. James's Gazette* says, of an inveterate smoker living to an unreasonably old age and then dying apparently because he gave up the use of tobacco. His name was Aaron Galdestein, and he died at Paterson, in the United States, on the 29th of August, in his 108th year, the record of his birth being, it is stated, well authenticated. Goldstein came to America about twenty-five years ago, and has since led a retired life at Paterson. He was born in West Prussia. He was married three times, and leaves behind him six living children—if, indeed, they can be called children; the eldest a daughter, who lives at New York, being seventy years old, and the youngest "child," also a daughter, being thirty-eight years of age. He had several other children who died. He leaves also thirty-three grandchildren, and thirty-one great grandchildren living. Goldstein fought with Napoleon I. in the Russian campaign and at Waterloo, where he received a wound in the leg, which troubled him until his death. He was in full possession of his faculties to the last. He smoked tobacco almost incessantly, and was a moderate user of stimulants. About two months before he died he was unfortunately persuaded to discontinue smoking, on the ground that it would injure his health. From the day on which he relinquished his pipe his strength failed him. He never rallied, and gradually sank—owing, the doctors believe, to the sudden stoppage of his tobacco.

MILITARY NEWS.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL CRASTER, R. A., succeeds to the command of the Dalhousie Hill Depôt, *vice* Colonel Wyllie, who vacates on the 16th instant, on being placed on half pay.

THE *Sind Gazette* learns that General Oldershaw had taken his passage from London direct for Kurrachee in the British India steamer Agra, which was to leave London on the 10th instant.

COLONEL P. W. L'ESTRANGE, R.A., having returned to Secunderabad on being relieved by General Ellis from commanding the Nagpore Force, resumes command of the R. A. H. S. Force.

MAJOR NESBITT, 1st West Riding Regiment, has been granted fifteen months' leave to England.

THE following transfers of Royal Artillery officers have been made:—Lieutenant G. R. U. Cookes, from Gwalior to Mooltan, to join L. Battery 4th Brigade; Lieutenant A. M. Balfour, from Peshawur to Dinapore, to join L. Battery 3rd Brigade; Lieutenant C. A. Williams, from Allahabad to Deesa, to join F. Battery 2nd Brigade; and Lieutenant C. T. Bell, from Campbellpore to Neemuch, to join B. Battery 2nd Brigade.

THE ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

THE August, September, and October numbers of the *Proceedings of the North-Western and Oudh Branch of the British Medical Association* contain Dr. Bolleau's tables. These wonderfully elaborate tables show the chances of promotion to the higher grades of the Army Medical Department for every medical officer down to Dr. M'Cutchan, whose date of retirement under the Warrant of 1879 is the 8th of October, 1890. He will probably be promoted to Brigade-Surgeon by the 10th of August, 1893, and will be further promoted to Deputy Surgeon-General by the 2nd of November, 1898. The two officers next senior to him—Surgeon-Majors H. T. Brown and V. A. Jennings—cannot count on being promoted beyond brigade surgeons, for the former is shown as having twelve senior officers of younger age than himself, while he will have been retired six months before the normal date (2nd of November, 1898) for the next vacancy in Deputy Surgeons-General to occur; the tables show further that six lives stand between himself and the possibility of promotion. As there are 337 medical officers on the list senior to Dr. Brown, and as casualties calculated at 20 per cent. would give some 66 vacancies, his chances of promotion are good. In Dr. Jennings' case the bracketted figures are 35, 22 and 18, respectively, his chances of promotion are, therefore, not so good as those of Dr. Brown. The November number will contain a table showing the services of administrative officers for several years past, giving the regiments and corps with which they served under the old *regime*. The number promoted to the administrative rank in each year will also be shown. These tables show that there are only 35 vacancies in the administrative ranks for the 135 senior executives next for promotion.—*Pioneer*.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

SIMLA, Oct. 15.—The slight barometric decrease noticed yesterday in Arracan has ceased, and pressure is now increasing throughout the whole of India and Burmah. Readings are highest in Northern India, and lowest in the south. The distribution is about normal. The wind, though on the whole easterly, varies somewhat in different regions, northerly breezes being reported from Hooghly southward to Negapatam, and southerly breezes on the south-west coast. Rain has fallen along the coast from Cuttack to Negapatam and at some inland stations in the extreme south. The temperature in the Central Provinces and Burmah has fallen; elsewhere the humidity changes are irregular. Rain to-day:—Masulipatam, Wellington, and Negapatam, 1½ inch; Madras and Mercara, ½ inch. Previously, Nellore, 4½ inches; Rajahmundry and Kaladgi, about 1 inch.

EGUTPOORA.—The total rainfall this monsoon at Egutpoora up to Saturday evening, 13th October, was 128 inches.

THE WEATHER ALONG THE COAST.

(16th October, 1883.)

THE following information regarding the state of the weather at different ports round the coast and Kurrachee to Madras is compiled from the latest returns received by telegram at the Meteorological Office:—

STATIONS.	Barometer. At 10 a.m. reduced to 32° F. and Sea level.	Thermo. in Reading at 10 a.m. shade.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Mean Velocity.	Rain fall.
	Ins.	Dgs.		Miles.	Ins.
Kurrachee ..	30·018	94·0	N E	10	0·00
Surat	·978	86·6	N E	9	0·00
Bombay	·976	83·0	N E	11	0·00
Rutnagherry	·939	87·5	E	6	0·61
Karwar	·939	82·1	S E	0	0·02
Mangalore ..	·974	80·9	S	3	1·07
Calicut	·982	77·6	Calm.	6	0·39
Cochin	·986	75·5	N W	1	0·03
Masulipatam	·038	73·8	E N E	6	0·70
Madras.....	·963	79·8	N	5	0·66
Negapatam...	·857	73·9	N N W	2	1·30

There is a barometric depression off Madras and Negapatam, and the wind is unusually strong at the former station.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, 15th October 1883.

Means of observations at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·849
Temperature of the Air	83·4
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77·3
Dew Point	75·0
Relative humidity of Air	·761
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded = 8)	4·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.)	89·1
Minimum do. do. read at 10 a.m.)...	78·3
General Direction of Wind*.....	E. ENE. E. ESE. NNW. NW.
Movement of wind in 24 hours*	303
Fall of Rain*	0·00
Total fall during the month	1·18
" " " year	80·10

*From midnight.

THE DISTURBANCE AT FALKLAND-ROAD.

SOOBRATI PERRBUX, Ameer Currim Badoola Issan Salar, and Manoolah Bukush were yesterday brought up on remand and charged before Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee with disorderly behaviour in a public place, on the Falkland-road, on the 13th instant.

The defendants were not represented by counsel.

Khan Bahadoor Meer Abdool Ali deposed.—I am Chief Inspector of Police, Detective Branch. In consequence of information received by me on the 13th instant at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon, I, with Subadar Moorar Rao and other police officers, went to Falkland-road, and saw a crowd of seven or eight hundred people, wearers and others. I saw the prisoners with a cow in their possession. They were attempting to take the cow inside a compound in which there are chawls. I noticed that most of the crowd were excited. On inquiry I found that neither the prisoners nor anybody else present there had a licence to kill a cow on the premises. I told the prisoners they had better go and kill the cow somewhere else, but they would not do so. I repeatedly told them this, but to no purpose. As the crowd was getting larger and more excited, I ordered it to disperse, and with the assistance of the European and native police there present the crowd was dispersed. The prisoners, with the cow, remained on the spot. I again ordered them to take the cow away, but they refused to do so. I caused the prisoners and the cow to be removed to the other side of the road, and I again told them to take the cow away, but they said they would not do so under any circumstances. I then ordered their arrest. They were arrested and taken to the Byculla Police Office, and the cow was sent to the pound. The prisoners' conduct in refusing to go away with the cow was such as to cause an affray. They were insolent and obstinate, and refused to obey my orders. They were removed by the police, who had to use force in doing so.

Two other policemen corroborated the evidence of the last witness.

The defendants begged to be pardoned, saying they had recently come to Bombay, and did not know the laws.

The magistrate, in disposing of the case, said that the laws of the country gave equal liberty to all parties, Hindoos, Mahomedans, Parsees, and others, in the enjoyment of their rights and privileges. Mahomedans were at liberty to kill a cow in fulfilment of their religious rights, but they could only do so at a place licenced for such a purpose, and in accordance with regulations. In the present case the prisoners had a licence to slaughter the cow in Khetwady, and if they had slaughtered the animal there, no objection would have been tolerated. It appeared from the evidence that the accused disobeyed the lawful orders of the police officers, and were disorderly and insolent; and had not a police force arrived on the spot, there would have been a serious disturbance of the public peace. In other cities in India serious disturbances had taken place from the slaughtering of cows; but in this city all sections of the community should understand that the first sign of such a disturbance taking place here would be at once punished. The offenders were severely punished. The defendants were each fined Rs. 20.

THE LOSS OF THE S. S. AIREY.

A MARINE COURT OF INQUIRY, consisting of Mr. C. P. Cooper, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Captain A. Tyson, commander of the s. s. William Symington, and Captain T. de Horne, commander of the P. and O. Company's s. s. Gwalior, re-assembled yesterday, at the Fort Police Court, to investigate the circumstances connected with the loss of the s. s. Airey near Ras Fartek on the 16th August last.

Mr. Little, Government Solicitor, conducted the inquiry on behalf of Government, Mr. Brown (Messrs. Hore, Conroy, and Brown) appeared for the captain of the s. s. Airey, and Mr. Prescot (Messrs. Prescot and Wise) for the chief officer.

Captain Flett, further examined by the court, said.—The charts on this side of the Suez Canal were supplied by the owners. All the charts on the other side belonged to me. The charts were kept in the spare room in the cabin. The charts I was navigating by after I left Bombay were kept on the aft settee. If I had seen any of my officers looking at the charts, I would not have raised any objection. I never encouraged my officers to look at my charts. I never saw any of them looking at the charts. I don't consider it is the duty of a chief officer to know from day to day the position of the ship on the chart. I don't see any reason for his knowing it. If I was taken ill, he could easily have marked down the position of the ship from the logbook.

The court then framed the following charge against Captain Flett:—The court hereby charges you, Magnus Flett, with incompetency as master and while in command of the s. s. Airey, on the following grounds:—1st, with negligence, as such master, in not, while in Bombay and before you started on the 8th of August last for Port Said, taking the ordinary precaution of finding the error and rate of your only chronometer by the Bombay time-ball or sending it to the Observatory; 2nd, on the morning of the 10th of August last you acted as such master with carelessness, that, knowing you were off the coast at a dangerous season and in very hazy weather, you did not ease your engines and wait until the weather was clear or until daylight, and never made use of your lead; 3rd, that you, as such master, were negligent in your duties in not seeing that your chief officer was from day to day acquainted with the position of the ship on the chart, and in not acquainting him on the night of the 15th August last that you were approaching the coast.

The statement made by Captain Flett in the course of the inquiry was then formally put in as evidence.

Captain Flett, further examined by Mr. Brown, said:—My practice is not to rate chronometers in foreign ports unless they require it. That has been the practice ever since I have been to sea. When I was in Bombay, I had no reason to think that my chronometer was not right. I now think my chronometer was a little out. That fact of the chronometer had nothing to do with the wreck of my ship. On the morning of the 16th I thought when the weather was haziest I could see at least the distance of one mile. On the morning of the 16th I did not expect to go nearer the land than twenty miles. I would have been nearest the land when I was passing the Cape, which I expected to pass at 8 a.m. Twenty miles off that coast would not have been in soundings. I was not consulted in the cabin when I was working out my position from day to day. After I had finished, I marked the ship's position on the chart in the cabin. I and the chief officer generally remained there with our results in the cabin, sometimes on deck. Sometimes the chief officer might have come in when I had the chart open before me. In my experience, I have never known a master take steps to see that his chief officer is acquainted with the position of the ship on the chart.

To the court.—The stars were not out when I went to bed on the night of the 15th. It was not possible for me to have taken a star to find my latitude.

John Henderson, second officer, was recalled and stated that he would be 55 years at sea on the 13th March next. He had been an officer since 1855. He was 30 years as master of sailing ships. In one ship that he was in as chief officer he was acquainted with the position of the ship on the chart from day to day; the captain used to teach him. He had been an officer in four sailing ships, besides two steamers. In other ships he generally had his own chart. The captains knew he had a chart, and they conferred with him every day. When he was a master, he worked the position of his ship on his chart. If he had a young man as chief officer along with him, witness used to teach him for his own benefit. In other cases he did not show his chart to his officers. When he had done with the charts, he rolled them up and put them away. He did not think it was the duty of the master to see that the chief officer was acquainted with the position of the ship on the chart.

The court then framed the following charge against John Morgan, the chief officer:—The court hereby charges you, John Morgan, with incompetency as chief officer, while acting in that capacity on board the s. s. Airey, on the following grounds:—1st, that you, on your voyage from Bombay towards Port Said in August last, did neglect to do your duty as such officer in not from day to day making yourself acquainted with the position of the ship on the chart, and not knowing that on the night of the 15th of August last you were in close vicinity of the land.

Both the accused denied the truth of the charges framed against them.

John Morgan, examined by Mr. Prescot, said.—I have been first mate since 1875, with the exception of two years when I was second mate. I was not allowed to see the charts on board any of those vessels, except the Beach. The captain of that vessel kept all his charts in the chart room. In the other ships, the charts were kept in the cabin; my berth was outside the cabin, and I never went into the cabin except for my meals. I was never asked to go and look at the charts by any of the captains. I considered the cabin to be more or less the captain's private room. I was second officer in 1880 in the John Merrychurch, Captain Seaward. The chief officer was not allowed to look at the chart in that ship. The chief officer told me that the captain would not allow the officers to look at the chart. It was not exactly an order. In this case I was never asked by Captain Flett to look at the charts. They were the captain's charts, and I understood all the charts belonged to the captain. The captain told me on board the buggalow that the charts were his. The chart had been interfered with by the second engineer. The captain said that somebody had been looking into the charts, and that he did not wish anybody to do so. I was told in Sunderland, not by the captain, that the charts belonged to the captain. I was told by the steward of the s. s. W. Symington that Mrs. Flett told him that the charts belonged to the captain, and that he had paid heavily for them. It has never been suggested to me by any of the captains that I, as chief officer, was bound to make myself acquainted with the position of the ship on the charts.

To the court.—I assisted the captain in working out sights for the purpose of obtaining the position of the ship. I was quite satisfied if my result agreed with the captain's. I was not in the John Merrychurch when she was lost. I have been in two steamers that were lost. I held the position of second mate and mate on board those steamers. There was an inquiry held in the matter of the two ships that were lost. No blame was attached to me.

The court then adjourned until half-past 2 p. m. to-morrow (Thursday) for the examination of witnesses for the defence.

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Eden Theatre, 9-15 p. m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vess
day:—Bancoora (s), from Calcutta; Racch
Fatte Islam, Mozambique; Principia (s),

THE APOLLO-BUNDER.—The band of the
Regiment N. L. I. will not play at the Bunder
evening.

ST. THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.—We are asked to state that the Cathedral being under repair, the choral evensong announced for this evening will not take place.

THE FORT POLICE COURT POOR-BOX.—The Chief Presidency Magistrate acknowledges, with thanks, the receipt of Rs. 5, contributed by Mr. Bomanjee Cooverjee towards the poor-box of the court.

DEATH FROM SCALDS.—A coroner's inquest was held yesterday, at the J. J. Hospital, on the body of Gia, woman. Deceased, on the 26th ultimo, was fatally scalded by a quantity of boiling milk accidentally falling on her. A verdict to that effect was recorded.

TRESPASSING.—Tita Rama, a noted thief, was placed before Mr. P. Ryan, yesterday, charged with wilfully trespassing into the house of one Moossa Ebrahim. He pleaded guilty, and was fined Rs. 20, or in default was sentenced to one month's rigorous imprisonment.

LECTURE BY COLONEL OLCOTT.—A meeting of the Bombay Branch of the Theosophical Society will be held to-day at 5-30 p.m., at the Framjee Cowasjee Institute, when Colonel Henry S. Olcott will deliver an address on the "Progress of Theosophy." The meeting is open to the public.

A DISHONEST SERVANT.—Mahadao Ranoo, employed in the P. and O. Company's Store Department at Mazagon, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee of stealing an ingot of copper, valued at Rs. 14, the property of his employers. He was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment.

ARREST OF MILITARY DESERTERS.—Two European deserters, named James Arrow Smith and Frederick Young, of H. M.'s Rifle Brigade, now stationed at Poona, were arrested yesterday morning by Inspector Grennan, and placed before Mr. P. Ryan, who ordered them to be taken to the military authorities.

A DOUBLE CHARGE OF THEFT.—Khoobun Elibux was yesterday convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, upon two separate charges, of the theft of a number of sarees and other articles of wearing apparel, an umbrella, &c., of the value of Rs. 52-2. He was sentenced to an accumulated term of four months' rigorous imprisonment.

THEFT OF CURRENCY NOTES.—Jeewun Pudma, living at Portugese Church-street, has reported to the police that on Monday last, while bathing at the Mombadavie tank, some person stole a packet of currency notes of the collective value of Rs. 800 belonging to him. The notes, wrapped up in a dhotur, had been left on the steps of the tank.

COMPLAINT AGAINST MUNICIPAL RATES.—We are asked to state that a meeting of the landowners and proprietors of the carts of cocoanuts and other toddy-yielding trees in the Island of Bombay will be held at the Church of N. Sra de Salvaçao, at Lower Mahim, on Sunday next, the 21st instant, at 4 p.m., to take steps in the matter of Municipal rates and taxes, which they object to pay.

THEFT.—Before Mr. P. Ryan, yesterday morning, Hurry Luximan, a well-known character, was charged with stealing a cap, valued at Rs. 4-8, the property of one Latib Ebrahim. The complainant, it appears, was asleep in his establishment, the "Europe shop," near the Crawford Market, when the accused stole the cap from his head. The prisoner pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to undergo six months' rigorous imprisonment. He was also convicted of trespassing in the house of one Gowa Natha during the absence of the complainant, and was sentenced to six months' additional rigorous imprisonment.

ENDOWMENT FOR A LIBRARY AT MAHIM.—A correspondent writes:—The want of a library being greatly felt at Mahim, Mr. Mahomedbhai Noor Mahomed, a liberal and public-spirited Khoja gentleman, has come forward with a contribution of Rs. 2,000 invested in a native firm, towards the endowment fund of an institution which, it is believed, will prove an invaluable boon to the residents of the suburb. The institution has been named the "Khoja Chundoobhai Noor Mahomed General Reading Room and Library," after the donor, and several influential persons have taken up the matter with zeal, and are appealing for subscriptions."

ASSAULT ON THE HIGH SEAS.—Otto Heering, a German fireman on board the s. s. Lady Dalhousie, which arrived in the harbour on Monday evening, was charged before Mr. P. Ryan, yesterday, with assaulting Mr. G. T. Young, chief engineer of the vessel, on the 29th September last. It appears that on the morning of the day in question the complainant asked the accused to observe the time from the clock in the engine-room. As the former was following the accused down the ladder into the engine-room, the latter turned round and struck him with a clasp-knife on the arm, inflicting two wounds. The prisoner said he was followed by the complainant like a "bull-dog," and hit first; and called two witnes

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...CORPORATION.

...AID-UP ...PITAL..... $5,000,000.
...STALMENT received on NEW SHARES..... } 926,765.62.
$5,926,765.62.

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THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 17th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at their rooms:—

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On FRIDAY, the 19th instant, at 1-30 p.m., Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at No. 2, "Land's End," Narrayen Dabholkar Road, Malabar Hill, the property of H. W. Barrow, Esq., proceeding home.

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Bombay, 17th October, 1883.

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SALE OF HARDWARE AND PAINT.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 17th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their rooms, on account of the concerned—

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4 casks white zinc, black, Venetian red, emerald green, Prussian blue, and yellow paints, in ¼ and ½ cwt. kegs.

SALE OF SUPERIOR FIRST-CLASS TEAK SQUARES.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 17th instant, at 4 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at Yard Bunder, by order of Mr. Bhagwandass Bhagia—

150 superior first class teak squares, in small lots to suit the requirements of purchasers.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 18th inst., sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Marine-street, Fort, close to their auction rooms, valuable and handsome French-polished blackwood and teakwood and English-made mahogany household furniture, 6, 8, 12, 15, 18 and 21 light chandeliers, 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, and 12 light argand lamps, single light wall shades with lustres, 1, 2 and 4 light hanging kerosine oil lamps, hanging vase lamps, large size pier glasses in gilt frames, handsome Brussels carpets, &c. The same comprises blackwood and teakwood and gilt furniture such as drawing-room, round, writing, oval, pier and dressing tables, conversation sofa, reclining and hall settees, drawing-room, easy, rocking, reclining, lady's, gentlemen's, baby's, and Madras-pattern arm and without-arm chairs, writing and oval tables with marble tops, large-size pier glasses in gilt frames, blackwood bedsteads, wardrobes, clothes press, chest of drawers, almira, cheval and dressing glasses, tea-poys, baby's cradle, hat and book stands, chiffoniers, English perambulator, handsome flower vases, rich table ornaments, chandeliers, argand lamps, vase lamps, wall shades, hanging and table kerosine oil lamps, large size musical box playing 12 airs, a handsome self-acting organ, &c.

Catalogues are published and the property is now on view.

On SATURDAY, the 20th inst., sale commencing at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at 4, Bake House Lane, Fort, the valuable and handsome french-polished, blackwood and teakwood household furniture, plated ware, crockery and glassware, lamps, pictures, &c., the property of ROBERT FARROW, Esq.

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...SALE OF CARRIAGES.

On SATURDAY next, the 20th instant, at 3 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms.—

1 handsome bran new victoria phaeton.
1 double seated English-built miniature brougham.
1 English-built buggy.
1 Canada-shaped landau.
1 new pony cart.

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